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Tourism makes a video splash!

By Mike Mathes for the Depot Dispatch

People love Elkhart Lake.

Elkhart Lake Tourism is using a new video marketing approach to share that wonderful message. The bottom line for their marketing plan is simple. The objective is attracting more visitors to Elkhart Lake, to help them grow to love the Elkhart Lake experience more often.

Three new video productions were generated at the direction of the Elkhart Lake Tourism Commission for a marketing effort to demonstrate the charm and allure of Elkhart Lake. They are being distributed on social media and in selected markets to bring home the point that Elkhart Lake —one of the best kept tourism destination secrets offers amazing vacation and dining opportunities.

Three titles developed

The video productions come in either full three minute rolls, or as reduced 30 second spots that can serve as "pre-rolls" on website video or television spots.

"Vacation Elkhart Lake Style" demonstrates the overall appeal of Elkhart Lake as a destination for all ages to enjoy.

"Dine Around" espouses the wonderful culinary experience that awaits visitors to Elkhart Lake, sharing both the wide range of restaurants and the passion of the many talented chefs who contribute.

"Breathe Easy" features the activities and experiences available in and around Elkhart Lake from kayaking to road racing to spa treatments.

Many voices of Elkhart Lake

Unlike some vacation videos, the Elkhart Lake Tourism productions feature real people sharing their stories.

"We didn't want a voice over script," Eickhoff said. "We felt it wouldn't have the same genuine appeal as hearing about Elkhart Lake from the people here."

The group was blessed with a lot of great input from local merchants, culinary artists and business owners that editing became a tough challenge. "We just couldn't put everyone and everything in these videos. We simply had too much good material," Eickhoff said.

Culinary experiences

Eickhoff said the "Dine Around" video gives great testament to Elkhart Lake's ever expanding culinary world.

"We have amazing dining opportunities in Elkhart Lake. People who come here tell us that it's such a joy to dine at our restaurants, meet the owner and develop

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Elkhart Lake Tourism's new video series promoting Elkhart Lake as a tourism destination features many great personal stories about what makes Elkhart Lake a great place to visit. Local business owners and community members chime in with their perspectives on the videos that are rolling on Facebook pages and in target markets.



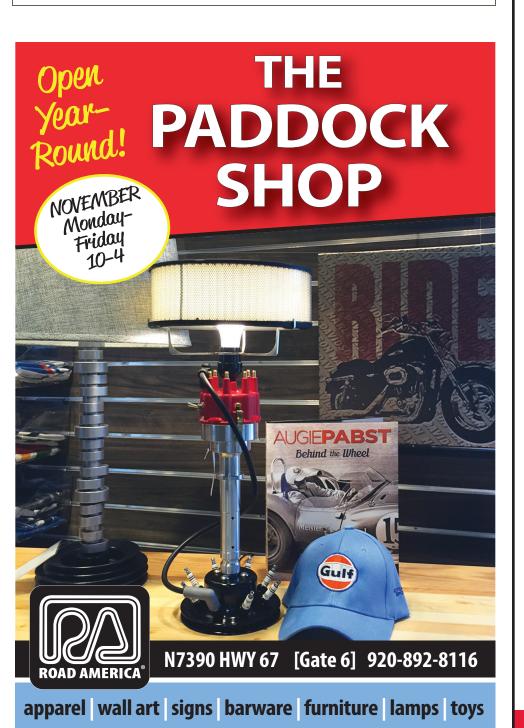


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Sharing our Journeys

By Carol Edler Baumann



From beginning to end

When November rolls around, most of us think of it as the end of autumn or the beginning of winter. The lakes are too cold for swimming, the rain occasionally drifts down as snow, and slacks and coats have replaced shorts and other warm weather apparel. Yes, summer has gone and the colorful leaves of autumn are falling over the fields and forests of central Wisconsin. Autumn too is nearing its end.

What is most intriguing about the beginning of winter, however, is how difficult it sometimes is to adjust our thinking to these new weather realities. Yes, we may have dug out our winter clothing from the back of the closet or from the bottom of a spare room trunk, but have we actually worn those woolen jackets or lined pants that seemed so natural to winter but alien to November? Or have we taken down from our bookshelves those books that had been planned for summer reading, but were always set aside in favor of golf or tennis, swimming or just lying in the sun?

November is the month that sparks our annual family battles over the thermostat. While part of the family may succumb to the reality of winter weather and will turn on the heat to the lower seventies, there is always at least one die-hard who will resist that flick of the switch, and will insist on accepting the dictates of Mother Nature at forty or fifty degrees. If you can figure out where the author stands on this yearly debate, you're probably right! (My belief is that the furnace was invented to be used.)

Although an earlier article in this column addressed the general theme of seasons come and seasons go, it did not examine the actual psychological impact of these seasonal changes. Not all parts of the country are affected equally by them, of course, and it is the advantage (or disadvantage) of the Midwest to be blessed with four seasons, and, therefore, four seasonal adjustments. The trip to the spare room closet must be made at least four times, not only once.

But the adjustments in our thinking are more pervasive than just figuring out what clothes to wear. Fall and winter also bring academic concerns to the forefront of thousands of students and young people in general. If one is active in any kind of organization it is in the fall when many of them set their agendas and begin their programs. So also for such cultural activities as concert series, art exhibits, and out-of-state or overseas travel. Winter, too, has its own set of activities to lure people out of their homes to face or to drive through whatever the weather is.

So, when you finish this article, don't just toss it away—give it a little thought, what do the fall and winter months offer you that just were not part of your summer agenda? And then take advantage



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The Elkhart Lake Responders drew a large crowd in late September for their annual Fish Boil fundraiser held at the Elkhart Lake Firehouse. Friends and families gathered to partake in the traditional fish meal in support of the responders.

Frank Roberts photos

Elkhart Lake tree lighting is Nov. 26

Elkhart Lake's Village Square Train Depot will literally brighten up on Saturday, Nov. 26.

That's the date for the Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce's annual Tree Lighting Ceremony, set for 6:45 p.m.

Santa Claus is expected to arrive by Elkhart Lake Fire Department escort at 6:30 p.m. for a visit with the children of the community.

The Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School Chorus will perform a few selections. In addition, the High School Jazz Band and Kohler Madrigal Singers will provide musical entertainment.

Visitors will be able to enjoy live entertainment, cookies and other treats to help keep them warm. Hot cider or hot chocolate with candy canes and marshmallows will be available as visitors sit around the warming fires tended by the Elkhart Lake firefighters.

Elkhart Lake restaurants will be open past the lighting ceremony.

For more information, call 877-355-3554 or 876-2922. You can also email chamber@elkhartlake.com.



The Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah School District will hold a Veterans Day Program on Friday, Nov. 11 at 11 a.m. in the high school gymnasium. The High School Band and Chorus will perform a few selections for this event, which will also include speeches and poetry readings from high school students. Guest speaker for the program is Technical Sergeant Dustin Holmes of the United States Air Force.

Holmes has served 13 years in the United States Air Force holding jobs as a structural engineer and enlisted accession recruiter. He has served four tours of duty in Iraq; two tours in Afghanistan; two tours in Jordan as well as one tour in the United Arab Emirates. Holmes has received the Air Force Commendation Medal four times as well as being recognized with the Air Force Achievement Medal four times. He has also received the Army Achievement Medal. Technical Sergeant Holmes is currently stationed in Fond du Lac where he serves as a recruiter.

The school district would like to invite the community to attend and share in this event of honoring all who have served or are currently serving.



During trick or treat time in Elkhart Lake and Glenbeulah, be on the lookout for Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah FFA members.

The FFA members will be part of the "Trick-Or-Charity" campaign to collect non-perishable items to donate to the Plymouth Food Pantry.

Students will be stopping at houses with lights on for trick or treaters. If FFA members happen to not stop at your house, feel free to drop items off at the Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School.

Thank you for your support!









Osthoff Resort Ranked #4 in Midwest

The Osthoff Resort, on the pristine shores of Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin, received a top ranking among Midwest resorts in the prestigious Readers' Choice Awards from Condé Nast Traveler magazine. With a score of 94.76, The Osthoff was voted number four on the list of the Top 10 Resorts in the Midwest for 2016. To be eligible, resorts must first receive a minimum number of responses and are then judged on a specific set of criteria, which include rooms, service, location, food/dining, design, activities/facilities, and value. The 2016 Readers' Choice Awards included input from more than 300,000 readers, who cast votes for more than 7,000+ hotels resulting in a preeminent list of more than 1,400 of the world's best travel experiences.

The Osthoff is considered a landmark in Wisconsin tourism. It's known for its lakeshore setting, distinctive architecture with lake-view porches, spacious suites, award-winning Aspira Spa and an impressive collection of amenities, that includes three restaurants, a cooking school, gift boutiques, indoor and outdoor pools, lake deck with live music, and elegant ballrooms and meeting venues.

The resort hosts large-scale events on its expansive grounds throughout the year, with Old World Christmas Market soon approaching, Dec. 2-11. Horse-drawn carriage rides with hot cocoa, cookie decorating, Breakfasts with Santa and Mrs. Claus,



ice skating, St. Nicholas and Christmas Day Brunches and New Year's Eve celebrations in Osthoff restaurants, rounding out holiday festivities.

Also in 2016, The Osthoff Resort received the prestigious AAA Four Diamond Rating for its eighteenth consecutive year, was awarded the Trip Advisor Certificate of Excellence and was voted "Best Lakeshore Resort" by Wisconsin Meetings.

For more information on the resort, log on to www.osthoff.com. For reservations and special offers, you are welcome to call 855.656.6836.



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Maggi Elias (seventh grade) contributing pennies to the penny war. Ethan Heier and Cole Rentmeester (both eighth graders) helping with the Penny War bins.



Dress "Blue Day" Students in Pat Van Duerm's seventh grade class sporting their "blue" for JDRF.

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Entringer. Students were dropping off pennies and other money to be counted for the penny war.



Student raise funds for juvenile diabetes

This September Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah Middle and High School students worked together to raise money for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF). Students rallied together in several fundraisers to support "Team Chase... chasing a cure", one of the teams participating in the Kohler JDRF One Walk on Oct. 8, 2016.

Students raised over \$1,100 in a penny war. In addition, proceeds from a football game raffle and dress up day brought in another \$300. A grand total of \$1,400 was donated to JDRF.

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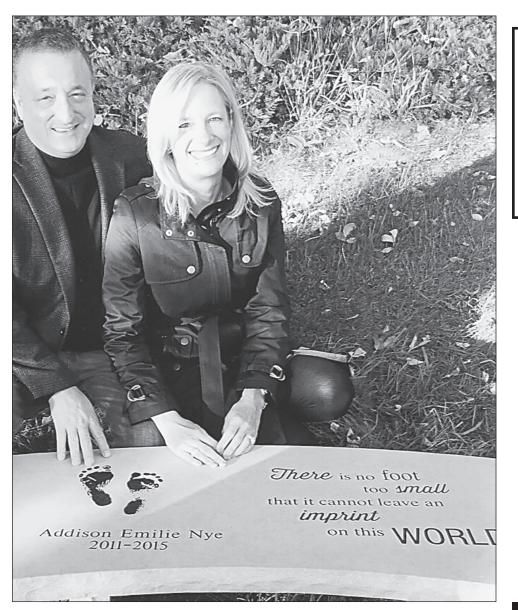
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Addison's parents Thomas and Nancy Nye show the newly donated bench.

Ladies of Lake present bench in memory of Addison Nye

had their lives tragically torn apart. Nancy and Tom Nye's daughter, Addison, was involved in a fatal car accident at the age of 4.

This past year has been a difficult one for them moving forward, but the community of Elkhart Lake has given them a tremendous amount of support and love in their time of need.

After the accident, the Ladies of the Lakes, a local women's group that Nancy is a member of, decided they wanted to do something for her and Tom. The ladies took up a special collection amongst them and purchased a beautiful stone bench from Valders Stone to commemorate Addison. On Sept. 30, the bench was installed at the Elkhart Lake Village Beach where Addison and her parents enjoyed spending many summer days.

On Oct. 8, the Ladies of the Lakes' presented the bench to Nancy and Tom with a small dedication at the site of the

One year ago, Sept. 30, a local family bench. Nancy's fellow Ladies of the Lakes members and their spouses attended the dedication, where they lit sky lanterns in memory of Addison and her three grandparents that have passed, followed by a reception at Lola's. This bench is a beautiful tribute to a little girl that touched every person she met and will be enjoyed by her loving family forever.

> **Tears** If tears could build a stairway, and memories a lane, I'd walk right up to Heaven and bring you home again. No farewell words were spoken, no time to say goodbye you were gone before we knew it, and only God know why. Our hearts still ache in sadness and secret tears still flow. What it meant to lose you, no one will ever know.

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Pictured from left are Mary Richter, Laura Myers current Ladies of the Lakes directors; Tom and Nancy Nye; Alan Rudnick village president; Melinda Clemens, Mia McMillian former Ladies of the Lakes directors.



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Everyone joined in the annual Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah Homecoming parade, from float builders to band members to alumni showing off their Resorter pride on the parade route through the village of Elkhart Lake.

Les Tension photos





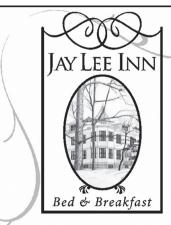
Halloween Pops Concert presented The Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High

The Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School Band will present a Halloween Pops Concert on Friday, Oct. 28 and Saturday, Oct. 29 at 6:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Enjoy an evening of spooky Wisconsin stories and classics such Washington Irving's "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow" as well as other pieces surrounding the American Halloween Tradition.

For \$5 at the door you can listen to the ELGHS Band and Jazz band perform unique Halloween pieces. There will be games for the kids and lots of snacks. The event offers entertainment for the entire family.

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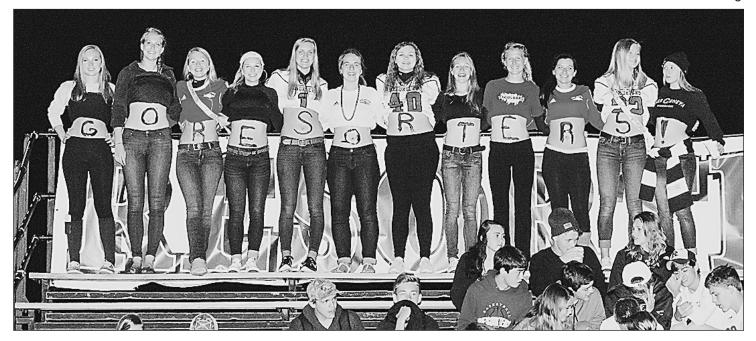
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Avid Resorters fans spelled out their favorite team name on their midriffs at the annual Elkhart Lake - Glenbeulah High School homecoming game held this fall.

Les Tension Photo

Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah FFA Fruit Sale

The Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah FFA is currently holding their annual fruit sale. The FFA is selling oranges, grapefruit, pineapple, apples, pears and mixed boxes.

In addition to fruit, we are selling cheese, sausage dried cranberries and nuts. The sale will run until Thursday, Nov. 10. Items will be delivered during the week of Dec. 5.

Please contact any FFA member or Michelle Arbuckle (FFA advisor) if you are interested in ordering (920) 876-3381 x3230.

Thank you for your support!

Donkey basketball at ELGHS

A "Dairyland Donkey Basketball Show" will be held at the Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School Gym on Tuesday, Nov. 8, starting at 7 p.m.

It's basketball played on real, live donkeys! All local players will be riding, so come out and see members of the Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah FFA, Fire Department, the Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah Athletic Association and another local FFA Chapter try to ride a donkey and play basketball at the same time. Laugh as you've never laughed before at the wild and crazy donkey basketball show!

This fun-filled show is sponsored by the Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah FFA and the proceeds will benefit the FFA and its members, as well as the other community organizations involved.

Advance tickets can be purchased from FFA members or by contacting Michelle Arbuckle (FFA advisor) (920) 876-3381 x3230.

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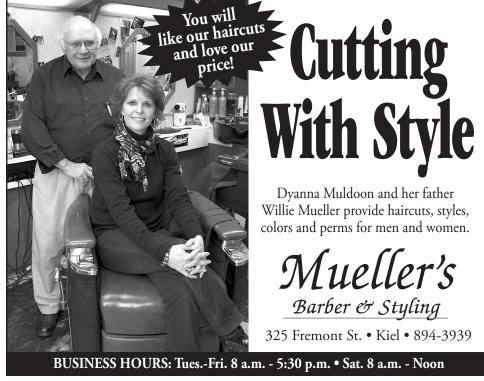




On Sept. 23 Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah Middle School Student Government officers and representatives marched in the annual Homecoming parade. Students enjoyed passing out candy and showing their EL-G school spirit. Junior King and Queen third graders Cole Wagner and Evelyn Loeffler were part of the ELG Homecoming parade.









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a relationship where they are remembered on their return visits," she said.

Breathe easy

The "Breathe Easy" segment attempts to capture that feeling that a visitor gets when they drive into town, hitting the first stop sign, and breathing that big sigh of relief.

"It features the resource that is Elkhart Lake—with our wonderful clear water," Eickhoff said. "But it also helps people understand the overall nature of the relaxed, laid back setting we have here in Elkhart Lake, emphasizing the natural surroundings from lakes to streams and the nearby state forest.

Vacationing Elkhart Lake style

"Vacationing Elkhart Lake Style" talks about the combination of resort offerings and the many activities in the community and beyond.

"People come here and turn the rest of the world off," Eickhoff said.

"It's about being able to wear flip flops and T-shirts and spend time with their families at the lake," she added.

Whether it's for a wedding, the races at Road America or the simple natural features of the area or the Old World Christmas Market, a vacation at Elkhart Lake brings many and varied entry points for visitors.

And, once they come, they usually make it a point to come back.

"We have so many families that come back to the community they visited as kids. They are looking for ways to have their kids enjoy the same experiences," Eickhoff said.

A year in process

The video marketing project represents a task more than a year in the making.

Planning for the video marketing program came at the Elkhart Lake Tourism Commission level. The ultimate goal of the project is to promote Elkhart Lake as a destination, to increase the number of overnight stays at village resorts and bed & breakfasts.

Eickhoff said that the video captures were unscripted, based in some cases on questions. "It was amazing how our people engaged in this process. We kept hearing so many similar messages, yet shared in a personalized way. We knew what we wanted the message to be. The way our people described the Elkhart Lake experience was so personal and so genuine that it made for a richer story."

The people's love for the community and their passion for Elkhart Lake comes shining through. "The way they shared their feelings and the feedback they have heard from their customers really makes the story," she said.

Competing with larger markets

Eickhoff said Elkhart Lake Tourism has to be strategic in how it uses its limited financial resources.

"We compete with other Wisconsin and Upper Midwest destinations that have significantly larger budgets and abilities to reach customers-places like Door County, Wisconsin Dells, Galena, Lake Geneva and even Kohler," Eickhoff said.

"So it is important for us to reach our market with this wonderful story."

Funding for the project comes from room tax collected by the Village of Elkhart Lake. The Tourism Commission,



The Elkhart Lake Farmer's market is featured on one of the Elkhart Lake Tourism's clips promoting the Elkhart Lake vacationing opportunity.

created in 1998, is tasked with the job of using room tax to generate overnight stays by promoting the Village of Elkhart Lake as a premier vacation destination. This funding source must to be used strategically to provide the best return on investment, which in turn grows and replenishes itself to generate opportunities for future marketing efforts.

"We don't have major franchises with deep pockets to support major advertising campaigns as some of the larger destinations do," she said.

"All of our dollars are local. We work with local owners and have local control of what happens with those dollars, and we have great buy-in from our businesses," she said.

Eickhoff said the Elkhart Lake Tourism Commission enjoys great support from the Elkhart Lake business community.

"We have a close working relationship with business owners of lodging properties, restaurants, Road America, the golf course, the retail business community and more," she said.

Elkhart Lake Tourism is a separate entity from the Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce. However, the two work hand in hand to support the business community.

The Chamber of Commerce is a member based organization working to promote and strengthen its members, offering business support and encouraging economic growth opportunities.

Elkhart Lake Tourism promotes the Vil-

lage of Elkhart Lake as a premier vacation destination. Their effort to grow overnight stays generates a growing customer base for village businesses with the ultimate goal of strengthening the village tax base.

"We have complementary goals, even though our missions are different," Eickhoff said.

In addition to generating more traditional overnight stays, Elkhart Lake Tourism's focus also includes finding ways to expand the season beyond Elkhart Lake's strong summer season.

"We are always looking at ways to expand the opportunities at other times of the year," Eickhoff said. The village has seen a growth in the meeting hosting opportunities, especially with the expansion of conference and banquet facilities at The Osthoff.

The production process

Once the decision was made to proceed, Elkhart Lake Tourism and its contracted producers spent nearly a year gathering video pieces around the community, including interviews with key individuals.

Carla Minski of Armadillo Marketing, a Fond du Lac firm which has familiarity working with the department of Tourism was retained to spearhead the public relations side of the project.

She helped Tourism to craft the message and choose the right clips. The project was a natural for Minski, Eickhoff said, noting that she is a fan of Elkhart Lake as a long-time visitor, and customer in the community.

Filming was done by J. J. Burkhart's Silverwater Productions company out of Plymouth.

Media targets

With its limited budget Elkhart Lake Tourism sought the best buy for its media gems.

Online efforts were key to the promotion, Eickhoff said.

"They offer a more affordable entry point for us, and they can be targeted to our demographic and geographic profiles—largely the Milwaukee and Chicago areas," she added.

Online videos were presented as prerolls on instream and true view platforms. Elkhart Lake Tourism also focused a significant amount of its effort around Facebook integration.

They took the "Dine Around" video straight out to Facebook, and found it successful with more than 100,000 impressions and 40,000 unique viewers.

"We didn't use any boost on it. We just went organic with it, and the results were phenomenal," Eickhoff said. One of the best parts was the amazing reaction and commentary from so many who viewed the video on Facebook.

The reaction has prompted Elkhart Lake Tourism to share other snippets with clips that were left on the "cutting room floor."

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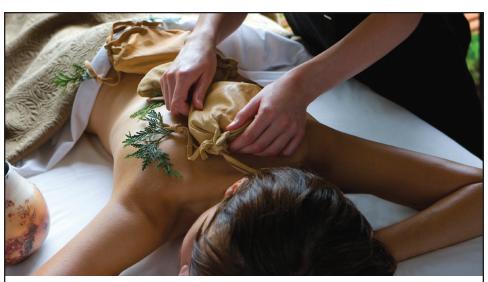
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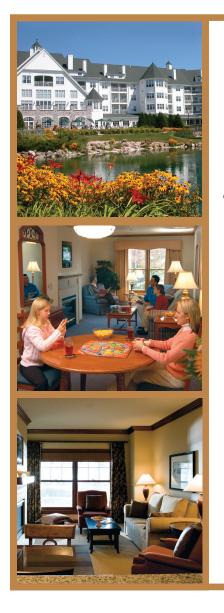
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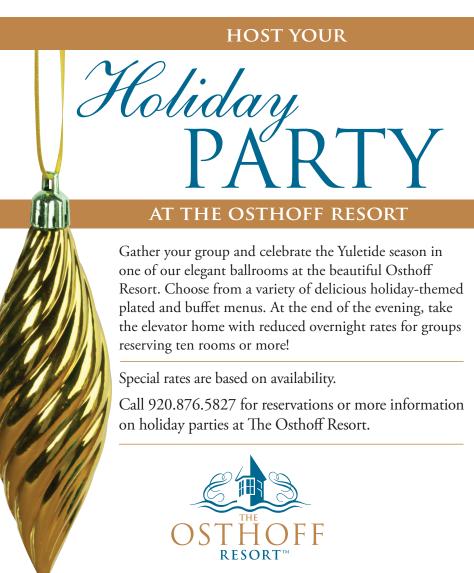
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ELKHART LAKE Spectacular lake home, nine years new, private with flat walkout frontage, yet all amenities of Victorian Village Resort. Designed with spaces with lake views. Sunroom and lake level family room with kitchenette. Quality craftsmanship boasts Brazilian cherry cabinetry, woodwork and floors, 3 GFP, Zodiac quartz counters, hardiplank exterior, lofted ceilings. \$899,000 mls #1462011 pin #31159

SOLD



WILLOWS OF CASCADE Sophisticated family friendly getaway just an hour from Milwaukee. Resort living awaits you on this serene non motor lake set in the Kettle Moraine on 70 acres of pine forest and prairie preserve. This architecturally designed modern "green" home sits on 90' of sandy beach frontage faces south to acres of treed conservancy. Just 8 homes share this beautiful scenic spot tucked in adjacent to Lake Ellen and DNR state forest. \$550,000 mls #1462251 pin #62140

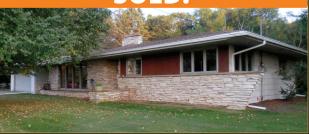


ELKHART LAKE Beautifully updated pond view townhouse condo. New kitchen opens to living room with views south to evergreen lined pond with fountain. Two bedrooms and two full baths upstairs, large family room with full bath and laundry in walk-out lower level. Sandy swimming and boat beaches face west of amazing sunset views. Tennis, golf, boating, swimming all within 500' of your condo. \$284,900 mls #1462298 pin #62153

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ELKHART LAKE. Welcome to the Wonderful Elkhart Lake area and welcome also to an impressive 4 bedroom, 3 bath home. 5-3/4+ acres of woods in popular Esker Ridge (Feels Like Kettle Moraine). Home features 10 rooms & almost 2300' living space on the main & upper level. Fireplace room (Family room) w beautiful brick fireplace & patio doors to the yard. Porch (Sun room) w/plank flooring, Quaint Living room & Den (TV room). 1 Bedroom on Main Level & 3 bedrooms including Master Suite on Upper Level. The lower level is walk out. \$325,000 mls #1457336



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ELKHART LAKE Back on the market! This Mid Century Exposed ranch is set on a lovely treed rolling green lot just across the street from Elkhart Lake. Lots of living space in 2 levels. 1 BR, 1BA, laundry, and living room w/wetbar on main level, (senior parent suite)? Lots of potential w/vaulted ceilings and mid C design detail! The bright windowed bonus room has door to lg balcony/deck. Access to beautiful outdoor spaces from many rooms. Lg deck overlooks backyard pines and rolling lawn with gardens. 3 season hot tub room joins house to patio! Across the street from the lake, great walkability to the Village and trails. \$199,000 mls #1474855

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The Road to Wellness

By Dr. Nic Giebler D.C. drnic@gieblerchiropractic.com



Five ways to improve your digestion

I often get asked what I eat in the mornings. As you may know, I am a strong proponent of vastly reducing (if not eliminating altogether) refined grains from one's diet. That means no cereal, no oatmeal, no bread or toast, and obviously no donuts. So, what does that leave for breakfast?

Believe it or not, breakfast for me is often just a glass of Metamucil.

That normally gets me through until a mid-morning snack occurs. Our modern diet is dangerously low in fiber, as well as other important nutrients, and this leads to countless diseases and dysfunction in our digestive tract.

A well-functioning digestive system is crucial to maintaining your body's overall health. Without it, you are likely to have bowel problems and suffer from digestive upsets, not to mention a host of other conditions that can result from not getting enough nutrients from the food you eat. The digestive system affects all the other systems of the body, so it's important to do what you can to be sure it's working the way it should. Following are the top five things you can do to help improve your digestion.

Eat more fiber (like me!)—Soluble and insoluble fiber is both essential for moving food through the digestive tract. Soluble fiber, such as that found in beans, nuts and apples, turns to a gel in your intestines and slows digestion, helping to maintain stable blood sugar levels. It absorbs water, softening the stool, and promotes the health of the good bacteria in your gut. Insoluble fiber, such as that found in the skins of fruit and vegetables, speeds digestion, adds bulk and passes primarily intact through the digestive tract. Both are important in preventing constipation and can improve conditions such as irritable bowel syndrome (IBS).

Drink more fluids—Insufficient water

intake can harden the stool, increasing constipation. You should be sure to drink at least 1.2 liters of fluid per day, which is about six glasses. Some people need more, based on their activity level and the ambient temperature. However, do not drink more than about six ounces of liquid during a meal (taking the occasional sip), as it can dilute your stomach acid, making digestion more difficult. Aim to get most of your fluid intake 15-30 minutes before a meal or at least an hour afterward.

Take probiotics—Probiotics such as Lactobacillus and Bifidobacteria are the good bacteria that populate our digestive tract. Eating yogurt with a variety of helpful live cultures as well as fermented foods like sauerkraut, kombucha and kefir can help promote the production and health of these beneficial bacteria. I recommend Florajen 3, and it's available at our office.

Eat more fat—Although increasing your fiber intake can improve your digestion, that fiber does not move through the digestive tract so easily if you are not getting enough fat in your diet. Good fats will not raise your cholesterol and in fact are a healthy part of your diet when eaten in moderation. Some healthy sources of fat are olive oil, coconut oil, butter and avocados. In addition, don't fear animal fats, provided that animal was healthy, like grass-fed

Reduce stress—When you are under stress, your digestive system slows down and circulation to the digestive tract is reduced, lowering your body's ability to efficiently break down and utilize the food you eat. Do not rush through meals, and be sure to sufficiently chew and savor your food when you eat. If you must eat while under stress, be sure you eat foods that are simple to digest, such as broth or yogurt.

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Hearthside Dinners

Old Wade House offers foodways program

On Saturdays, Nov. 5 and Nov. 12, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Wade House historic site in Greenbush will be hosting Hearthside Dinners, a foodways program in which participants will have the opportunity to enjoy a delicious hearth-cooked meal, prepared with their own hands, in the historic Wade House stagecoach hotel.

Hearthside Dinner guests will experience a link to culinary history by helping to prepare 19th-century dishes on a woodburning stove and over an open-hearth fire just as Mrs. Wade did more than 150 years ago. A close gathering of up to 20 guests will be guided by costumed staff as they learn about historic food preparation, ingredients and historic cooking tools.

Authentic recipes from late-19th-century cookbooks will be referenced as guests chop and stir, season and roast, preparing their midday meal. When the dinner preparation chores are complete, guests receive a guided tour through the stately stagecoach hotel and learn about the respite, which it offered to weary travelers along the plank road between Sheboygan and Fond du Lac in the 1850s and 1860s.

Once dinner is prepared, participants gather family style in the lovely Wade House dining room for a wonderful sitdown meal with lively conversation. The menu will feature a delectably abundant feast of squash soup, pork loin roast, red cabbage with apples, mashed turnips, glazed carrots, cranberry muffins, bread pudding, cider cake, apple cider and coffee. This satisfying encounter with central Wisconsin's past concludes with everyone pitching in to clear the table, wash dishes (19th-cenury style) and sweep the hearth.

Hearthside Dinners are \$55 per person, and reservations are required. If you have any questions about the program or would like to reserve your spot at the table, please call 920-526-3271. Private Hearthside Dinners for groups of 10 to 20 may also be arranged.



Attend a hearthside dinner on Saturday, Nov. 5 or Saturday, Nov. 12, from 11 a.m.-3 p.m., at Wade House historic site in Greenbush. Hearthside Dinner guests help prepare 19th-century dishes on a wood-burning stove and over an open-hearth fire just as Mrs. Wade did more than 150 years ago.

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November mystery photo



Down Memory Lane— Recognize these photos?

Take a look at November's mystery photo at the top left. Do you know anything about it? Where was the location? What was the approximate year? Do you know anyone in the photo?

If so, let us know!

There were no submissions for the October photo at the right.

To enter either the October or No-

vember contests, send an email or letter with as many details as you can include.

The person with the best submission will receive a finely matted, quality enlarged print of the original, courtesy of Schamberger Gallery in Elkhart Lake. Winners must pick their prize up at the Elkhart Lake Chamber office.





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Elkhart Lake Village Report

CDA makes loan to brewer

CDA (Community Development Authority)

The CDA approved a \$10,000 loan to Switchgear. Switchgear is a group of three partners, with ties to the area, who will brew craft beers in the former EL Taco building. They are proposing to open in spring of 2017.

Planning Commission

The Planning Commission is expected to hear a presentation from Bob Werner on his plan to develop the 35 acres known as Victory North. The development will be made up of single-family homes and duplexes.

Nov. 8, 2016 Election Photo ID Required

The Presidential Election will be held on Nov. 8, 2016. Absentee voting is available at the clerk's office until Nov. 4, 2016. Photo ID will be required to absentee vote or vote in person on Election Day. The following are some frequently asked questions about the photo ID law:

Do I have the right photo ID?

Below are the acceptable IDs for voting purposes and can be unexpired or expired after the date of the most recent general election (currently, Nov. 4, 2014):

- Wisconsin DOT-issued driver license, even if driving privileges are revoked or suspended
- Wisconsin DOT-issued identification card
- Military ID card
- U.S. passport
- A certificate of naturalization (that was issued not earlier than two years before the date of the election)
- An identification card issued by a federally recognized Indian tribe in Wisconsin
- A driver license receipt issued by Wisconsin DOT
- An identification card receipt issued by Wisconsin DOT
- A Veteran Affairs ID card (must be unexpired or have no expiration date)
- A photo identification card issued by a Wisconsin accredited university or college, or technical college that contains the following:
- Date the card was issued
- Signature of student
- Expiration date no later than two years after date of issuance
- The university or college ID must be accompanied by a separate document that proves enrollment, such as a tuition fee receipt, enrollment verification letter, or class schedule

There may be other acceptable forms of photo ID, but please contact the Clerk's office at 920-876-2122 for more information. The address on your ID does not have to be current. Election officials will only look at your ID type, name, picture, and expiration date.

What if I don't have a photo ID?

If you are eligible to vote but do not have a photo ID, you may obtain a free ID from the Department of Motor Vehicles. Apply



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for the ID as soon as possible. You'll need some documents to get the ID. Some records satisfy more than one requirement. For a complete list visit wisconsindot.gov or call (608) 264-7447.

Your local DMV office is located at:

Department of Motor Vehicles 3603 Kohler Memorial Drive Sheboygan, WI 53081 (800) 924-3570

Do I need a photo ID to absentee vote?

Absentee Ballot Requests

Requests for ballots sent by mail or email must be accompanied by a photocopy of an acceptable form of voter ID. You will not need to do this with future requests, as long as you have not changed your name or address.

In-person Absentee Voting

If you are casting an absentee ballot in the municipal clerk's office, you must present a photo ID, just as you would at the polls.

Are there exemptions for absentee voting?

Photo ID is not required for the following absentee voters:

- Military voters
- Voters who are permanently overseas
- Confidential voters
- Indefinitely confined voters
- Nursing home residents whose ballots are delivered by special voting deputies
- Residents of care facilities who are not visited by special voting deputies

What can I expect at the polling place?

Now that voters are bringing their IDs, voting at your polling place will be a little different. **Please be prepared & patient.

State It

As always, you'll need to state your full

name and address for the election official who checks you in. They'll check your information in the poll book. Understandably, some people are uneasy about announcing their name in public, but it is the law, and it helps ensure openness in elections.

Show It

Next, it's time to show your photo ID. That way, poll workers can compare your face to your photo and confirm that you really are you.

Sign It

Finally, you'll sign the poll book (unless a physical disability prevents it). Your signature or mark should go right next to your name and address.

For complete information about the Voter Photo ID Law and its requirements, please visit: BRINGIT.WISCONSIN.GOV or call (866) VOTE-WIS or 920-876-2122.

Winter Rules begin Nov. 15

Winter parking regulations go into effect on November 15th. As a reminder, here is the ordinance.

All Night Parking Regulated

6.04(2) (a) No parking of any motor vehicle shall be permitted on either side of any Village street or in the parking lot north of Square Street or the parking lot on North East Street between the hours of 2:00 o'clock A.M. and 6:00 o'clock A.M. commencing the fifteenth (15th) day of November and ending on the first (1st) day of April of every year.

(b) Any vehicle parked in violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall be removed from the streets and stored, and such removal and storage shall be at the expense of the owner of said vehicle.

Vehicles violating this ordinance will be ticketed.

Snow Removal

Ordinance 10.03 Removing Snow from

Elkhart Lake Village Board Members

If you have concerns or questions call any of our Village Trustees

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TRUSTEE: Richard Baumann (22 Cedar Lane) — 920-781-2030. Email: rbaumann@elkhartlakewi.gov

Sidewalks: residents must clean snow from sidewalks within 14 hours of any snowfall in a 24-hour period.

Residents have 24 hours after a winter storm to remove ice and snow from their sidewalks. Snow cannot be blown or plowed onto Village Streets. Residents must also shovel out any hydrants near their home.

Village History

Frank Thielmann and I have been visiting the Sheboygan County Research to look at old pictures of the Village. Frank remembers that Fireman's Park had a children's train running throughout the park. We could not find any pictures or articles. If anyone has a picture or a recollection of the train, we would appreciate hearing about it. Also, if you have any old pictures of interesting village buildings, bring them to the Village Office and we will scan them for future articles. The research center is located in Sheboygan Falls. Anyone can browse the pictures or news articles. They also accept family pictures and histories. It is a great place to spend a couple of hours.

Recycling Fee

The Village Board passed a resolution in September which will institute a \$20 recycling fee. See the resolution that was passed below.

RESOLUTION EIGHTEEN- 2016
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DISPOSAL SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Village Board of the Village of Elkhart Lake has determined that it is important to secure the long-term financial health and sustainability of the recycling program, and that it is necessary to impose a charge to offset the cost of the Village's recycling program, and

WHEREAS, the Village is authorized to collect and levy the cost of such recycling service by imposition of a special charge pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 66.0627;

WHEREAS, the Administration & Finance Committee of the Village of Elkhart Lake recommends the imposition of a fee in the sum of \$20 per recycling cart to cover a portion of the cost to provide such service by the Village of Elkhart Lake or its contractors beginning on Jan. 1, 2017; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RE-SOLVED, by the Village Board of the Village of Elkhart Lake that a special charge of \$20 per cart for recycling collection and disposal service is hereby imposed on parcels that have recycling carts and future parcels that receive carts; this charge applies to all parcels, where such recycling service is provided by the Village of Elkhart Lake, or its contractor, effective Jan. 1, 2017 and continuing thereafter until further action of the Village Board. Exempt tax parcels (non-profits, churches, State, County and Village parcels) will not be charged for recycling services.

BEIT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the special recycling service charge is hereby levied and directed to be placed on the 2016 and succeeding real estate tax bills of all benefited parcels located in the Village of Elkhart Lake in accordance with this resolution. The recycling charge shall be a debt due to the Village that is not reduced or eliminated by change in ownership of any parcel.

Garbage Pickup Day Change

Garbage pickup will move to Mondays starting in January 2017. More details will be provided in the near future. This means that garbage carts can be placed on the curb on Sunday nights, but they need to be removed by Tuesday morning.

Starting in January, please have your garbage and recyclable containers curbside prior to 7 a.m. on Mondays. These containers must be removed from curbside no later than 7 a.m. on the day after collection (Tuesday). If you have an issue



with garbage or recycling pickup please call Advanced Disposal Services at 1-888-688-4005. If you have any questions, please call the Village at 920-876-2122.

All trash needs to fit in the refuse container and all recycling can be comingled and needs to fit in the recycling container. Overflowing containers and garbage outside the containers will not be picked up.

Yard Waste and Leaves

Yard waste, leaves, brush, garden debris, etc. can be disposed of at the dumpster located at the Village garage from April through October. Dumpster hours are Wednesdays 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturdays 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Village also added hours on Mondays from 7:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. During this time the dumpster will be unattended.

Sewer Rate Increase

The Elkhart Lake Village Board will also be increasing the sewer rates in order to cover costs. These rates will become effective on January 1, 2017, or the April 15, 2017 billing. Below is the updated rate. If you have any questions, please contact the Village Hall at 920-876-2122.

CHARGES FOR SEWER

\$5.75 per 100 cubic feet of water consumption beginning + \$23.00 meter fee per quarter.

Village Borrowing

In September, the Village Board approved refinancing the village's taxable debt. Most of the debt comes from the TIF projects we are involved in. It is projected that the Village will save around \$185,000 over the term of the loans.

Alan Rudnick Village President

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Community groups pitch in to help through Christmas Gift Tree

Over the last five years, Grace Lutheran Church, Elkhart Lake has worked together with Charlene's of Elkhart, Off the Rail, All Seasons Restaurant, the National Exchange Bank, and the Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah Elementary, Middle & High School to bring a little extra Christmas cheer to families who were hit a little harder by the tough economic times. It is called the Christmas Gift Tree and Christmas Gift Tree Plus program.

The program has enjoyed overwhelming success! Over these years, hundreds of children's Christmas' were brightened through the Christmas Gift Tree and thousands of dollars in gift cards were distributed to community families in need through the Christmas Gift Tree Plus program.

On Saturday, Nov. 19, Grace Lutheran will put up and/or decorate five trees. They will be located at Grace Lutheran, Charlene's, Off the Rail, All Seasons Restaurant, and the National Exchange Bank.

The process for the community to help out with the Christmas Gift Tree is simple:

1) Go to any of the five locations. 2) Take a children's ornament from the tree. 3) Purchase an age appropriate gift. 4) Wrap the gift. 5) Securely attach the ornament to the package. 6) Return the gift to Grace Lutheran Church, Charlene's, Off the Rail, National Exchange Bank, or All Seasons

Restaurant by Sunday, Dec. 11, so the contributions can be made available for pick-up.

While many families appreciate the gifts for their children, they are also able to help families with other needs that they have.

The Christmas Gift Tree Plus includes families in need from Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School as well as the Middle and Elementary Schools. Contributions to Christmas Gift Tree Plus help families that are in need of gas and groceries.

Helping with the "Plus" program is also very simple: 1) Go to any of the five locations. 2) Take a "Gift Card" ornament from the tree. 3) Purchase a \$25 gift card at the business of your choice that will provide either gas or groceries as designated on the "Gift Card" ornament. 4) Securely attach the ornament to the actual gift card. 5) Return the gift card to Grace Lutheran Church, Charlene's, Off the Rail, National Exchange Bank, or All Seasons Restaurant by Sunday, Dec. 11 so they can distribute them prior to the Christmas season.

Elkhart Lake has really shown its generosity through both these programs. Contributors really stepped forward in 2015 to help a lot of families during these tougher economic times.

Thank you in advance for your help and support of this program.



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PARKING is our major problem so please bare with us. We will have handicap parking at the sale on site but all other cars can use the Quit Qui Oc golf parking lot and we will have vans to bring you down to the lake. Merchandise pickups are no problem, there is plenty of space at the house to bring your car in for loading your purchases. If you chose to walk down to the lake, parking on the road is acceptable. I realize this is not ideal but this sale is worth it.

This 4000 sq. ft. 5 bedrooom home is filled with high end furniture in every room. There is a fabulous country dining table with 12 black spindle back chairs and a beautiful plaid sofa sleeper. The room overlooking the lake is filled with vintage real wicker furniture. One of the highlights of this sale are 3 brilliant American antique cut glass lamps. We also have a huge collection of Waterford bar ware, Lismore pattern. There is a children's room with a collection of antique children's books. This home is overflowing with delightful decorator items in every room. There is a bar room for entertaining and if you live on the lake we have fabulous lake toys.

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Elkhart Lake Chamber Calendar

OCTOBER 25

Community United Church of Christ

AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

OCTOBER 26

Elkhart Lake Public Library

Book Chat and Coffee Hour 10 a.m. Come and see our new books and enjoy the conversation.

OCTOBER 27

Community United Church of Christ AA Meetings 7 p.m.

Elkhart Lake Public Library Toddler Time 10 a.m. Play date for preschoolers.

Elkhart Lake Public Library

Tech Thursdays. Need help with downloading an ebook from Overdrive or an emagazine from Zinio? Need help getting started using your new tablet or finding out about our databases? Drop by Thursdays from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. and we will help you out. Can't come on Thursday, call and make an appointment with us at 876-2554.

Vintage Elkhart Lake

Owner of Vintage Elkhart Lake, Jaclyn Stuart will be teaching wine classes for the Lakeshore Culinary Institute 5:30-7:30 p.m. that are open to the public, \$29 to attend. There are 3 classes in total; you can attend any or all of them. 920 876-4846.

OCTOBER 28

Paddock Club

Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

Plymouth Arts Center

PAC Theatre Company presents "Dr. Jeckyll, No Place to Hyde." Admission. For more info (920) 892-8409

Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah School

Halloween Pops Concert 6:30 p.m. at the high school. A fun, entertaining unique family event. Costumes are encouraged.

Plymouth Arts Center

PAC Theatre Company presents "Dr. Jeckyll, No Place to Hyde." Admission. For more info (920) 892-8409

OCTOBER 29

Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing

Rocky Horror Picture Show (1975) 6 & 9 p.m. Call (920) 208-3243 for more information.

Plymouth Arts Center

PAC Theatre Company presents "Dr. Jeckyll, No Place to Hyde." Admission. For more info (920)

Elkhart Lake's Road America

Road America Run/Walk for American Cancer Society. Join us as walkers, runners, and volunteers come together to honor cancer survivors, raise awareness about reducing cancer risk, and raise money to help the American Cancer Society fight the disease.

Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah School

Halloween Pops Concert 6:30 p.m. at the high school. A fun, entertaining unique family event. Costumes are encouraged.

OCTOBER 30

Plymouth Arts Center

PAC Theatre Company presents "Dr. Jeckyll, No Place to Hyde." Admission. For more info (920) 892-8409.

Trick-or-Treating

Halloween Trick-or-Treating 3-5 p.m.

OCTOBER 31

Elkhart Lake Public Library

Trick or Treat at the Library all day.

NOVEMBER 1

Community United Church of Christ

AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing

Summit-Manhattan Transfer Meets Take 6 at 7:30 p.m. Call (920) 208-3243 for more information.

NOVEMBER 3

Community United Church of Christ AA Meetings 7 p.m.

NOVEMBER 4 Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing

Arts Tribute to the Bee Gees 7:30 p.m. Admission.

Paddock Club

Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

NOVEMBER 5

Wade House Historical House

Hearthside Dinner 11 a.m.- 3 p.m. Enjoy a delicious hearth-cooked meal, prepared with your own hands,

in the historic Wade House stagecoach hotel. Limited seating; reservations required. Admission.

Camp Y-Koda

Intro to Geocaching Series 1-3:30 p.m. Rochester Park, Sheboygan Falls. Ages 4-adult. Admission.

Plymouth Art Center

An Evening of the Classics 7:30 p.m. Admission. 920-892-8409.

NOVEMBER 7

Elkhart Lake Lions Club

Directors meeting 7 p.m. Lincoln Street Sports Bar & Grill.

Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee

Village of Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee meeting, Grashorn Civic Center 7 p.m.

Elkhart Lake Study Club

Dr. John Prellwitz, tour of Elkhart Lake Veterinary Clinic Meet at Cedar Landing Club House, order lunch from Off the Rail.

NOVEMBER 8

Community United Church of Christ

AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

Grace Lutheran Church

Chili Supper and Bake Sale 4-7:30 p.m. Adults \$7; children 5-10 \$3.50; 4 & under free.

NOVEMBER 10

Community United Church of Christ

AA Meetings 7 p.m.

Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing

The Guess Who Call 7:30 p.m. (920) 208-3243 for more information.

NOVEMBER 11

Paddock Club

Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah School

Veterans Day Program at 11 a.m. in the high school avmnasium.

NOVEMBER 12

Sheboygan Symphony Orchestra

People's Choice Concert. The second concert of the 98th Season: A Season of Rich Expression

Wade House Historical House

Hearthside Dinner 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Enjoy a delicious hearth-cooked meal, prepared with your own hands, in the historic Wade House stagecoach hotel. Limited seating; reservations required. Admission. 920-526-3271.

Camp Y-Koda

Intro to Geocaching Series 1-3:30 p.m. Kohler Andrae State Park, Sheboygan. Ages 4-adult. Admission.

NOVEMBER 13

Camp Y-Koda

High Ropes Family Challenge 1-4 p.m. Ages 10-adult. Admission.

NOVEMBER 14

Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing

Dan St. Paul - What's Funny After 50 at 7:30 p.m. Call (920) 208-3243 for more information.

NOVEMBER 15

Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce

Chamber board meeting 8:30 a.m. Grashorn Civic Center.

Community United Church of Christ

AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

NOVEMBER 17

Quit Qui Oc Golf Club Rib Night 5-8 p.m.

Community United Church of Christ

AA Meetings 7 p.m.

NOVEMBER 18

Grace Lutheran Church

Ladies Guild Bake Sale at National Exchange Bank 10a.m.-5 p.m. Proceeds go to Church building

Paddock Club

Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

NOVEMBER 19 Camp Y-Koda

Intro to Geocaching Series 1-3:30 p.m. Evergreen Park, Sheboygan. Ages 4-adult. Admission.

NOVEMBER 21 Elkhart Lake Lions Club

All member meeting at Anchor Lanes 6 p.m. social hour. 7 p.m. meeting & dinner.

Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee

Village of Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee meeting, Grashorn Civic Center 7 p.m.

NOVEMBER 22

Community United Church of Christ

AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

NOVEMBER 24

Community United Church of Christ

AA Meetings 7 p.m.

NOVEMBER 25

Paddock Club

Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

NOVEMBER 26

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Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing

White Christmas (1954) at 7 p.m. Call (920) 208-3243 for more information.

Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing

Miracle on 34th Street (1947) 4 p.m. Call (920) 208-3243 for more information.

Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce

Tree Lighting Ceremony begins 6:45 p.m. Santa Claus arrives 6:30 p.m. via an Elkhart Lake fire truck. Live entertainment

NOVEMBER 27

Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing

Frozen Sing-A-Long at 2 p.m. Call (920) 208-3243 for more information.

Community United Church of Christ AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

DECEMBER 1

Community United Church of Christ AA Meetings 7 p.m.

DECEMBER 2 Paddock Club

Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

Osthoff Resort Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

DECEMBER 3

Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596. 920-876-5845. christmasmarketatosthoff.com.

Wade House Historical House A Wade House Christmas 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Guests will experience the magic of a mid-19thcentury Christmas celebration at the Wade House

stagecoach hotel. Admission. **Osthoff Resort**

Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596, 920-876-5845. christmasmarketatosthoff.com.

DECEMBER 4

Wade House Historical House

A Wade House Christmas 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Guests will experience the magic of a mid-19thcentury Christmas celebration at the Wade House stagecoach hotel. Admission.

Osthoff Resort

Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596, 920-876-5845. christmasmarketatosthoff.com.

DECEMBER 5

Elkhart Lake Lions Club

Directors meeting 7 p.m. Quit Qui Oc.

Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee

Village of Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee meeting, Grashorn Civic Center 7 p.m.

Elkhart Lake Study Club

Paddock Club. Christmas luncheon.

Osthoff Resort

Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596, 920-876-5845. christmasmarketatosthoff.com.

DECEMBER 6

Community United Church of Christ

AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

Osthoff Resort Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596, 920-876-5845. christmasmarketatosthoff.com.

DECEMBER 7

Camp Y-Koda

Dasher, on Dancer, on Prancer and Vixen; off we go to discover all about deer. After our hike, we will make a Christmas craft to take home. Pre-registration is required. **Osthoff Resort**

Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596,

Knee High Naturalist Program, Reindeer Hike. On

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DECEMBER 8 Community United Church of Christ

AA Meetings 7 p.m. **Osthoff Resort**

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DECEMBER 9 Paddock Club Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and

Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596,

Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m. **Osthoff Resort**

Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596, 920-876-5845. christmasmarketatosthoff.com. **Plymouth Art Center** The Plymouth Arts Center Singers will be

Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

presenting "The Colors of Christmas" 7:30 p.m.

Sheboygan Symphony Orchestra

Chorus 7:30 p.m. **Wade House Historical House** A Wade House Christmas 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Guests will experience the magic of a mid-19th-

Messiah. Sheboygan Symphony Orchestra and

century Christmas celebration at the Wade House stagecoach hotel. Admission. Stefanie H. Weill Center for the Performing

Sheboygan Symphony Orchestra and Chorus: Messiah 7:30 p.m.

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Wade House historic site in Greenbush will once again be participating in the Wisconsin Department of Tourism's "The Big Bundle Up" charity campaign and will be collecting warm winter items for those in need across Wisconsin from Nov. 17 through Jan. 2, 2017. Residents may drop off new and gently used coats, sweaters, hats, mittens and other warm clothing at Wade House's visitor center located at W7965 State Hwy. 23 in Greenbush.

Bundle up this winter with Old Wade House

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All winter gear donated at Wade House will be given to Safe Harbor and Bridgeway House in Sheboygan and Solutions Center and Support Services in Fond du Lac.

Wade House is one of nearly 70 sites located across Wisconsin serving as drop-off sites. A complete list of locations is available at TravelWisconsin.com

"The Big Bundle Up embodies what the state of Wisconsin is all about. It's an award-winning campaign in which the entire tourism industry works together for a common cause—to bring warmth to those in need," said Tourism Secretary Stephanie Klett.

Library forms new system in Jan.

Eastern Shores Library System and Mid-Wisconsin Library System are forming a new library system in January 2017. Eastern Shores Library System is a cooperative of the public libraries in Sheboygan and Ozaukee counties and Lakeland University.

Mid-Wisconsin Federated Library System consists of all the public libraries in Washington and Dodge counties. As part of the merger 500,000 library records from the 17 libraries in Mid-Wisconsin will be added to EasiCat. EasiCat will be offline during that process and unavailable De-

cember 8-14. Library circulation services will be limited during this time period. Please be sure to place requests and renew books prior to December 8. The library will be open and books in our collection may be checked out. WPLC Overdrive, Zinio and Tumblebooks will be available.

The new library system will reemerge as the Monarch Library System in 2017. Please contact us at 920-876-2554 if you have any questions, or if we can be of help finding library materials for you during this time.



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Osthoff Resort

Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596, 920-876-5845. christmasmarketatosthoff.com.

Aviation Heritage Center of Wisconsin

Santa makes a special trip to the Aviation Heritage Center by airplane,12-3 p.m.

Plymouth Art Center

The Plymouth Arts Center Singers will be presenting "The Colors of Christmas" 7:30 p.m.

DECEMBER 11

Wade House Historical House

A Wade House Christmas 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Guests will experience the magic of a mid-19th-century Christmas celebration at the Wade House stagecoach hotel. Admission.

Osthoff Resort

Old World Christmas Market. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission. For more information (877) 517-4596, 920-876-5845. christmasmarketatosthoff.com.

Camp Y.Koda

Girls and Dolls Cookies with Santa 1-3:30 p.m. For girls of all ages with parent. Pre-registration is required, walk ins are not allowed.

Plymouth Art Center

The Plymouth Arts Center Singers will be presenting "The Colors of Christmas" 2 p.m.

DEPOT DISPATCH DEADLINES December 2016 issue

November 11 - Contributing writer stories due.

November 14 - Ad design changes/
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November 15 - Print ready ads due.

November 22 - Issue on newsstands

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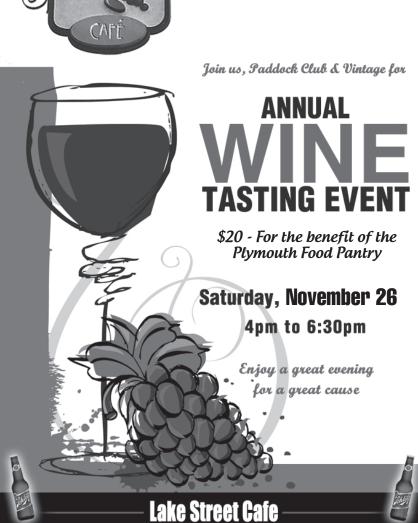
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The library will be CLOSED Nov. 24 for Thanksgiving

New Books for Adult Readers

ADULT FICTION

All the Little Liars, Charlaine Harris Always a Cowboy, Linda Lael Miller Angels Touch, Heather Graham Apprentice in Death, J.D. Robb* Because I'm Watching, Christina Dodd British Manor Murder, Leslie Meier Christmas Caramel Murder, Joanne Fluke Commonwealth, Ann Patchett*^ Crash and Burn, Fern Michaels Crimson Death, Laurell Hamilton Daisy in Chains, Sharon Bolton Dear Mr. M, Herman Koch Debt to Pay, Robert B. Parker*^
Dollhouse, Fiona Davis
Downfall, J.A. Jance Fates and Traitors, Jennifer Chiaverini Fortunes, Peter Ho Davies Gentlemen in Moscow, Amor Towles Good as Gone, Amy Gentry Guineveres, Sarah Domet French Kiss, James Patterson Friday on my Mind, Nicci French

Harmony, Carolyn Parkhurst Heart of Henry Quantum, Pepper Harding Here I Am, Jonathan Safran Foer Home, Harlan Coben' House on Honeysuckle Lane, Mary McDonough

Hunted, James Patterson Infamy, Robert K. Tanenbaum Kept Woman, Karin Slaughter* Leave Me, Gayle Forman

Little Old Lady Who Broke all the Rules, C. Ingelman-Sundberg
Manitou Canyon, William Kent Krueger

Mating Season, James Patterson Mischling, Affinity Konar Missing, James Patterson* Monticello, Sally Cabot Gunning Napolean's Last Island, Thomas Keneally Nix, Nathan Hill Nutshell, Ian McEwan 113 Minutes, James Patterson Orphan Mother, Robert Hicks Other Einstein, Marie Benedict Perfect Girl, Gilly Macmillan Perfect Neighbors, Sarah Pekkanen Perfume River, Robert Olen Butler Pirate, Clive Cussler^ Pushing up Daisies, M.C. Beaton

Risen, Ron Rash Rushing Waters, Danielle Steel Sacking the Quarterback, James Patterson Take me With You, Catherine Ryan Hyde Tea Planter's Wife, Dinah Jeffries

\$10,000,000 Marriage Proposal, James Patterson

32 Yolks, Eric Ripert Thrice the Brinded Cat Hath Mew'd. Alan Bradlev Today will be Different, Maria Semple[^]

Trespasser, Tana French[^] We are Unprepared, Meg Little Reilly Zero G, William Shatner Winter Storms, Elin Hilderbrand Winter's Child, Margaret Coel Woman of God, James Patterson Wonder, Emma Donoghue*

ADULT NON-FICTION

Autoimmune Fix, Tom O'Bryan Book of Joy, Douglas Abrams Clean Soups, Rebecca Katz Complete Guide to Drones, Adam Juniper Conversation with McCartney, Paul Du Noyer Crisis of Character, Gary J. Byrne Defying the Nazis, Artemis Joukowsky Everydaycook, Alton Brown Fortress: A Love Story, Danielle Trussoni Forward, Abby Wambach Get What's Yours for Medicare, Philip Moeller Ghostland, Colin Dickey Good Vibrations, Mike Love Herbert Hoover: A Life, Glen Jeansonne
Hidden Figures, Margot Shetterly
Hidden Life of Trees, Peter Wohlleben
How to be Good at Math, Dorling Kindersley
Killing the Rising Sun, Bill O'Reilly
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The Pigeon Tunnel Stories From my Life, John Le Rain in Portugal, Billy Collins Revenge in a Cold River, Anne Perry Rogue Heroes, the history of the SAS, Ben Macintyre Seize the Day, Joyce Meyer Soul of Christmas, Thomas Moore Truck Full of Money, Tracy Kiddar Vern Yip's Design Wise, Vern Yip Willa: the Story of Willa Cather, Amy Ehrlich

LP FICTION

Home, Harlan Coben Make me Love You, Johanna Lindsey Missing, James Patterson Second Half, Lauraine Snelling 12 Days of Christmas, Debbie Macomber Truly Madly Guilty, Liane Moriarty Two by Two, Nicholas Sparks Woman of God, James Patterson

New Books for Youth Readers

(YA) YOUNG ADULT

Àshes, Laurie Halse Anderson As I Descended, Robin Talley Cradle and All, James Patterson Fever Code, James Dashner^ Last True Love Story, Brendan Kiely Lovely Reckless, Kami Garcia Pasadena, Sherri Smith Poppy, Mary Hooper Reader, Traci Chee Scary Out There, Jonathan Maberry Secrets in the Snow, Michaela MacColl Stand In, Steve Bloom Tales of the Peculiar, Ransom Riggs Tell me Something Real, Calla Devlin Vietnam: A History of War, Russell Freedman

(E) EASY READER

Caillou: Where is my Cat, Rebecca Moeller Chaos at the Castle, Disney Book Group Circus Fun, Rebecca Moeller Secret Life of Pets, Dennis R. Shealy

(I) INTERMEDIATE

Survived the Eruption of Mt. St. Helen's, Lauren Tarshis Poet's Dog, Patricia MacLachlan

(J) JUVENILE FICTION

Bonita, Ellen Miles Burning Tide, Jonathan Auxier Curse of the Boggin, D.J. MacHale Full of Beans, Jennifer L. Holm Furthermore, Tahereh Mafi Home Sweet Motel, Chris Grabenstein Moo, Sharon Creech Old Yeller, Fred Gipson Space Princess, Mary Man-Kong Star on Stormy Mountain, Gill Lewis Water Ski Wipeout, Franklin W. Dixon Windborn, Jennifer Lynn Alvarez

(J) JUVENILE NON-FICTION

Bubonic Panic, Gail Jarrow Bug Camp, Tim Forrest, PH. D. Creation, Cynthia Rylant Destination Mars, Seymour Simon Fantastic: A Lego Adventure in the Real World, Scholastic

I Dissent: Ruth Bader Ginsberg, Debbie Levy Incredible Fact Book, Mary Pope Osborne In the Shadow of Liberty, Kenneth C. Davis Minecraft: the Survivors Book, Stephanie Milton Origami for Christmas, Robyn Hardyman 6 Dots, Jen Bryant

BOARD BOOKS

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